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In Re U.S. Patent Application)
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Applicant: Tashiro et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/577,032)
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Filed: May 23, 2000)
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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY)
AND METHOD OF FABRICATING)
THE SAME)
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Art Unit: 2871)
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Examiner: Duong, Thoi V.)

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SEPARATE LETTER TO THE DRAFTSPERSON

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attn:Official Draftsman

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby propose and request approval of the amendment to FIGS. 88a, 103, 104, 105a, 105b, 106a, 106b, 107a, 107b, 107c, 108a, 108b, 108c, 109, 110a, 110b, 111, 112, 113, 114a, 114b and 114c, as marked in red in the attached drawings, and accompanying Amendment A.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended		Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	22	-	34	=	0	x	$18.00	=	$ 0.00
Independent Claims	7	-	56	=	0	x	$84.00	=	$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims							$280.00	=	$ 0.00
					Total Additional Fee				$ 0.00
					Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)				$ 0.00

(X) Amendment A with Version to Show Changes Made and 11 sheets of marked-up drawings.

(X) Separate Letter to the Draftsman, with 11 sheets of drawings.

(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) Petition for Extension of Time (with check for $110.00).

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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